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APPLICANTS: Wolfgang M. FRANZ et al. Conf: 2640  
APPLN. NO.: 09/068,751 GROUP: 1635  
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FOR: GENE-THERAPEUTIC NUCLEIC ACID CONSTRUCT,  
PRODUCTION OF SAME AND USE OF SAME IN THE  
TREATMENT OF HEART DISEASE

**AMENDMENT**

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Responsive to the Office Action of December 20, 2001, the period for response being extended three (3) months to June 20, 2002 by petition hereinbelow, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in the present application.

**IN THE CLAIMS**

Please amend the claims as follows:

63. (amended) The recombinant virus vector according to claim 62, wherein said replication deficient adenovirus vector consists of two inverted terminal repeat sequences (ITR) of said adenovirus.

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